SEMINOLE COUNTY GOVERNMENT AGENDA MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Law Enforcement Trust Fund Expenditure - Contribution to Narcotics Overdose Prevention and Education (NOPE) Program

DEPARTMENT: Sheriff's Office **DIVISION:**

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MOTION/RECOMMENDATION:

Approval by the Board of County Commissioners to expend \$2,215.00 from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund to provide for funds to implement a Narcotics Overdose Prevention and Education (NOPE) Program for middle and high school students.

County-wide Penny J. Fleming

BACKGROUND:

The Seminole County Sheriff's Office is requesting an expenditure from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund in the amount of \$2,215.00 to provide funding to implement a Narcotics Overdose Prevention and Education (NOPE) program for middle and high school students in Seminole County. The Sheriff's Office and seven municipalities are contributing toward the total cost of \$17,719.00 for the program.

The Narcotics Overdose Prevention and Education Taskforce is comprised of community leaders and concerned parents working to save lives through dramatic personal presentations about the deadly consequences of drug abuse combined with ongoing efforts to influence antidrug legislation and the provision of vital information about where young people with a substance abuse problem and their families can go for help. The cornerstone of NOPE's mission is to deliver dramatic, high impact presentations to middle and high school students about the dangers and consequences of drug abuse.

This request complies with Chapter 932.7055(4)(a), Florida State Statutes. The State/Local uncommitted Forfeiture Fund Cash Balance prior to this commitment is \$130,611.30.

Additionally Reviewed By: No additional reviews